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**UNIQUE**

The UK Directory of HIV/AIDS Treatments and Trials is the first of its kind in this country.

The Directory provides the only comprehensive overview of treatments for HIV disease and all its related conditions, covering treatments for opportunistic infections, immunomodulators, vaccines and anti-viral therapies.

Supporting this information on treatments is the only directory of the clinical trials taking place in the UK. This is compiled through regular consultation with the many centres in the UK where experimental drugs for HIV disease are undergoing trial.

*"It is obviously a superb idea"*

**Dr B G Gazzard, Consultant Physician and  
AIDS Coordinator, Westminster Hospital**



## **UNIVERSAL**

In a field where treatments are predominantly experimental and constantly changing, the need for information about treatments and where they can be accessed is great. The Directory aims to fulfil this need for everyone for whom the development of treatments for HIV disease is a concern.

The Directory offers people living with HIV an opportunity to gain a greater understanding of their condition and to access appropriate treatments.

For those running clinical trials and developing treatments the Directory offers a means of improving recruitment to those trials.

No assumptions are made about the knowledge with which people come to the Directory. There is extensive background information written in plain language that avoids technical jargon.

Anyone seeking to be better informed about HIV infection and its treatments and clinical trials will find the range of information in the Directory invaluable.



## **ACCURATE**

The Directory of HIV/AIDS Treatments and Trials is updated three times a year. This is an essential feature, given the speed with which things change in the field.

The detailed information on every treatment includes full scientific references and is reviewed for each update. The listings of clinical trials are revised according to the progress of those trials.



*"Of great value to the target audience"*

**Dr AJ Pinching, Reader in Clinical  
Immunology, St Mary's Hospital**



## **COMPREHENSIVE**

At the heart of the directory are the two detailed listings:

- Treatments for HIV disease
- UK clinical trials for HIV disease.

In order that everyone can make the best use of this information the Directory includes a wide range of supporting material about HIV. Sections include:

- The life-cycle of HIV
- Living with HIV: early intervention and prophylaxis
- Understanding clinical trials
- Scientific and ethical debates about HIV/AIDS research
- Getting the best care
- Monitoring and follow-up
- Glossary of scientific terms

*"accurately presented information  
submitted dispassionately in this way will  
meet the expectations of both the patients  
and the medical profession in the pursuit of  
appropriately conducted clinical trials and  
the introduction of new therapies"*

**Dr Graham Bird, Senior Lecturer in  
Immunology, Edinburgh Royal Infirmary**

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*"We make constant use of the National AIDS Manual. It is an invaluable resource both for ourselves and for a wide variety of people working in different organisations within and beyond the HIV/AIDS field."*

**Julian Meldrum, National AIDS Trust**

*"It's great! It makes our task of compiling, updating and providing information much easier. It frees you to get other work done."*

**Lesley Reid, HIV/AIDS Team,  
Lothian Health Board**

*"One of the most valuable resources for the job I do. Superbly designed and organised. I feel so safe using it because I know it's up to date. Invaluable for everyone: GPs, health visitors, medical journalists, agony aunts..."*

**Claire Rayner**

